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## SOCIETY ISLANDS.

## Quarantine Station to be Established at Tahiti.

Consul Winship, at Papeete, Tahiti, reports, August 12:

A quarantine station is to be established at this port and is expected to be ready for occupation by January, 1912.

## TRINIDAD.

## Examination of Rats.

Acting Asst. Surg. Layton reports September 9:

During the two weeks ended August 11, 1,989 rats were examined for plague infection. Of these 401 were *Mus decumanus*, 177 *Mus rattus*, 1,411 *Mus musculus*. No plague-infected rat was found.

## TUNIS.

## Tunis—Cholera.

The American vice consul at Marseille telegraphed September 26 that cholera was reported present at Tunis.

## TURKEY.

## Beirut—Cholera and Plague.

The American Consul General at Beirut reports August 19, that 6 cases of cholera had appeared among the pilgrims passing through Beirut, also that plague was present.

## VENEZUELA.

## Plague and Yellow Fever at Caracas.

Acting Asst. Surg. Stewart, at La Guaira, reports September 4:

During the week ended August 12, 3 cases of plague and 5 cases of yellow fever, and during the week ended August 19, 1 case of plague and 3 cases of yellow fever were reported at Caracas.

## CHOLERA, YELLOW FEVER, PLAGUE, AND SMALLPOX.

## Reports Received During Week Ended Sept. 29, 1911.

[These tables include cases and deaths recorded in reports received by the Surgeon General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, from American consuls through the Department of State, and from other sources.]

## CHOLERA.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
China:				
Manchuria—				
Dalny.....	Aug. 15-Sept. 4...	23	.....	
Kinchow.....	do.....	10	.....	
India:				
Calcutta.....	July 30-Aug. 5....	.....	7	
Madras.....	Aug. 13-19.....	1	1	
Italy:				Total for Italy, Sept. 3-9: Cases, 1,279; deaths, 496. Continental Italy: Cases, 1,089; deaths, 422.
Provinces—				
Naples.....	Sept. 3-9.....	49	12	
Naples.....	do.....	17	1	
Sicily.....				
Palermo.....	Aug. 13-19.....	23	15	
Palermo.....	do.....	28	16	
Japan:				
Kobe.....	Aug. 30.....	2	.....	
Osaka.....	do.....	3	.....	Total outside of Palermo Province: Cases, 73; deaths, 30.